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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

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Banks.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP.....£3,200,000.

RESERVE FUND.....£300,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, RUE DEVERGNE, PARIS.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at:

LONDON, BOULOGNE, SAN FRANCISCO, MANHATTAN, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, SHANGHAI, NANTES, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY.

LONDON BANKERS:

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

Messrs C. J. HAMBER & SON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

F. COCHINARD, Agent, Hongkong.

Hongkong, February 8, 1882.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....£1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per Annum.

" 6 " " 4 " "

" 12 " " 5 " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$5,000,000 Dollars.

RESERVE FUND.....2,100,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.

Deputy Chairman—Wm. REYNOLDS, Esq.

H. HOPKINS, Esq. M. E. SASSON, Esq.

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CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER.

Shanghai, EYEN CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits—

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

" 6 " 4 " "

" 12 " 5 " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Office of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, March 22, 1882.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF His Majesty King George The First, A.D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows—

Marine Department.

Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding £2,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE

MR. FREDERICK DEBLOIS BUSH is Admitted a PARTNER in our Firm from this date, and Mr. GEORGE H. WHEELER is authorized to Sign our Name.

RUSSELL & Co.

China, 1st January, 1882. ap5

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ON and after this date the Undersigned Resumes his Duties as SECRETARY of the Company.

By Order of the Directors,

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary.

Hongkong, March 20, 1882. ap13

NOTICE

THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of their GOODS by Messrs KYNOC & Co., of WITTON, near BIRMINGHAM.

MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, August 13, 1881. 13at82

NOTICE

WE Have been appointed AGENTS for the MITSU BUSSAN KAISHA, of Tokio, at this Port.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, February 1, 1882.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF VALUABLE ENGLISH, AMERICAN AND CANTON-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, &c., &c., &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 6th April, 1882, at 2 p.m., at No. 30, the Holywood Road,—

The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising—

ENGLISH-MADE WALNUT-WOOD DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, PERMAN PATTERN-COVERED; FINE COTTAGE PIANO, by SCHWAB; BLACKWOOD PIANO STOOL, BLACKWOOD CARVED TABLE, HANDSOME GILT MIRRORS, LACK CURTAINS, BRUSSELL and TAPESTRY CARPETS, ENGLISH-MADE MARGARIT MOORCOCK-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, EXTENSION DINING TABLE, TEAK SIDEBOARD, PLATED GLASS and CHOCOLERY WARE, &c., PAINTINGS, AMERICAN-MADE INLAID and CARVED WALNUT-WOOD BEDSTEAD, SPRING MATTRESS, AMERICAN-MADE WALNUT BUREAU, with DRAWING GLASS, and AMERICAN-MADE WALNUT WASHSTAND, ENGLISH-MADE WALNUT DAYBED, OIL COTTE, STAIR CARPETS, &c., SHANGHAI BATH, WARDROBE, &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale, and the Furniture will be on view on Wednesday next.

TERMS.—As customary.

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, March 30, 1882. ap6

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PICTURES, PLATED GLASS, CROCKERY WARE, &c., &c., &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 8th April, 1882, at 11 a.m., on Board,—

THE GERMAN BRIG "TARTAR,"

Net Register 256 Tons, built in 1866 of Oak and Fir, classed A 1 for 6 years from December 1878 in German Lloyd's, and surveyed in Dry Dock, in Hongkong on June 1881; as she now lies in this Harbour, with all her TACKLE and APPARATUS, &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the Purchase Money to be paid on fall of the hammer, the remainder on transfer being effected. The Vessel to be at Purchaser's risk immediately after being knocked down.

Inventory can be seen at the Auctioneer's.

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 1, 1882. ap8

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PICTURES, PLATED GLASS, CROCKERY WARE, &c., &c., &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 8th April, 1882, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Pedlar's Wharf,—

The whole of the USEFUL and SUBSTANTIAL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Of a GENTLEMAN leaving this Colony, comprising—

CHRISTIANE-OVERDRAWDING-SUITE, CANTON-MADE BLACKWOOD ROYAL PALM and TEA-POT, ENGLISH-MADE WALNUT COTTAGE PIANO, MIRRORS, OIL PAINTING, ENGRAVINGS, CLOCK, ORNAMENTS, &c.

EXTENSION DINING TABLE, CHAIRS, WHATNOT, ENGLISH-MADE MARGARIT MOORCOCK-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, EXTENSION DINING TABLE, TEAK SIDEBOARD, PLATED GLASS, and CHOCOLERY WARE, &c., &c.

DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BEDSTEADS, complete; WARDROBE, DRESSING TABLE and GLASS, WASH-STAND and SETS, CHEST of DRAWERS, WALNUT CENTRE TABLE, MARBLE-TOP, SOFA, CHAIRS, CARPETS, RUGS, LAMP, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 1, 1882. ap8

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF ELEGANT BERLIN AND CANTON-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, by FLEISCH, &c., &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 13th April, 1882, at 2 p.m., at the Residence of Dr. C. Cloutier, Boulder Lodge,—

The whole of his HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising—

BERLIN-MADE DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, YELLOW GROUND; BLACKWOOD TABLE, BLACKWOOD BOOK CASE, CARVED TABLE, NINGPO INLAID TABLE, WHATNOTS, MIRRORS, CHINA-WARE, and CUTLERY, CLOCKS, CARPETS, RUGS, CURTAINS.

A FINE FRENCH COTTAGE PIANO, by PLEYEL; CANTERBURY MUSIC DESK, &c.

BERLIN-MADE OAK CARVED TELESCOPE DINING TABLE, with EXTRA LEAVES, DUTCH CARVED OAK DINING CHAIRS, DUTCH CARVED OAK CARVED SIDEBOARD, SILVER COFFERBOARD, PLATED GLASS and CROCKERY WARE, and CUTLERY, FENDERS and FIRE IRONS, &c., &c.

BERLIN-MADE ACACIA WOOD BEDSTEAD and SPRING MATTRESS, IRON BEDSTEAD and CHILDREN'S COTS, WARDROBE, BLACKWOOD WASHING STAND, and DRESSING TABLE, &c., &c., &c.

Also, A FINE COLLECTION of FLOWERS and FERNS in Pots.

Catalogues will be issued, and the Furniture on view on Wednesday, the 12th April.

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, March 30, 1882. ap13

To Let.

TO LET.

(WITH POSSESSION ON THE 1ST MAY.)

THE New FAMILY RESIDENCE situated next to EXETER on Robinson Road, replete with every convenience, TENNIS LAWNS, STABLES, &c.

Also, 8 FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS of all Sizes—Water-side. Inspection is invited.

Apply to SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON.

Hongkong, April 3, 1882.

TO LET.

OFFICES in No. 13, QUEEN'S ROAD Central, Nos. 4 and 5, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to DAVID SASSON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, March 24, 1882.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts.....\$17 per 1 doz. Case.

Pints.....\$18 per 2 doz.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

FOR SALE.

A. RAUTERT MAINZ DELICIOUS TABLE BEER.

4 doz. & Case CHAMPAGNE BOTTLES. \$10.

Apply to SANDER & Co.

Hongkong, March 30, 1882.

FOR SALE.

MESSRS W. & J. LOCKETT'S—Gala-branded BRANDS, FINEST PALE ALE, and KINGSBURY'S "PILGRIM" STOUT in Pints and Quarts.

Also, FINE OLD PORT, in Cases of 1 dozen.

Also, SILLERY MOUSSEUX (VIN DE CHAMPAGNE), in Cases 2 dozen Pints and 1 dozen Quarts.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, February 1, 1882.

FOR SALE.

GENUINE MADEIRA WINE, 1870, \$22 per Dozen.

OLD SUPERIOR PORT (BASTARDOS), \$15 per Dozen.

Apply to L. THEVENIN, Hongkong Hotel Building.

Hongkong, March 21, 1882. ap21

Intimations.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given, that our Company's TICKETS for APRIL 1882, to be DRAWN ON 10th APRIL, are Cancelled as the Numbers of more than 1,000 have been imprinted.

Parties who have bought these Tickets are requested to return the same to the persons from whom they bought them, for the purpose of Cancellation. If not returned before the 10th of April, they will be regarded as waste paper, even should they get prizes, and the Holders will have no right to demand any prizes from the Undersigned.

Fearing questions may arise in future, this Notice is specially published by the

TUNG YUENG LEUNG YIK SOCIETY.

It is further announced that the Responsibility of TAI SAKO, Pawabroker, in regard to the Bill of Exchange for the Undersigned, ceases to exist hereafter.

TUNG YUENG LEUNG YIK SOCIETY.

Hongkong, March 27, 1882. ap10

NOTICE

THE "FAR EAST."

The issue of 18th APRIL.

Apply at this Office.

Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

Intimations.

NOTICE

COMMENCING To-day, and until further Notice, the KIUKIANG and TUNGKANG will Run DAY and NIGHT between HONGKONG and CANTON, the KIUKIANG leaving HONGKONG every Day at 8 a.m., and CANTON at 5.30 p.m.; and the TUNGKANG leaving CANTON every Day at 8.30 a.m., and HONGKONG at 6 p.m.

The PUYAN will Run between HONGKONG and MAO for a few days instead of the White Cloud.

P. A. DA COSTA, Secretary, Hongkong, Canton & Macao Steamboat Company, Limited.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, China Navigation Company, Limited.

Hongkong, April 3, 1882. ap5

NOTICE

THE ORIENTAL TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED,

WITH THE GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

HIS EXCELLENCY the GOVERNOR having been pleased, under date of 11th February last, to grant ALEXANDER GRAHAM BELL of Washington and THOMAS ALVA EDISON of New Jersey "LETTERS PATENT" for their TELEPHONE INVENTIONS in this Colony, and the said Letters Patent being held by the above Companies (as their Agents), the Public of Hongkong are hereby notified that the above-named Companies claim the Sole right of Introducing or Selling or Making public use of the said two Inventions in Hongkong or any other TELEPHONE INSTRUMENTS based upon or being an Improvement of their Inventions.

A. SUENSON, Superintendent.

Hongkong, April 3, 1882. ap10

NOTICE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—EMIL VOGEL and HEINRICH KIRCHHOFF, lately trading together in Hongkong, as Merchants, under the Firm name of "VOGEL & Co.," having been adjudged BANKRUPTS under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong, on the 21st day of February, 1882, are hereby required to surrender themselves to EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD, Esquire, the Registrar of the said Court, at the First Meeting of Creditors, to be held by the said Meeting Registrar on THURSDAY, the 9th day of April, 1882, at Noon, precisely, at the office of the Registrar of the said Court.

At the First Meeting to be held at the time and place aforesaid, the Registrar will receive the Proof of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors who shall have proved their Debts are hereby required to choose at such Meeting an assignee or assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to be called the Creditors' Assignee.

Dated this 26th day of March, 1882.

DENNIS & MOSSOP, Solicitors in the Matter.

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NOTICE

COLONEL IRE AUSTIN'S NEW AMERICAN RIFLE RANGE, UNITED CLUB, Staunton Street, opposite The Union Church.

PRIZE SHOOTING OPEN TO ALL AMATEUR RIFLE SHOTS.

A SPLENDID SOLID SILVER MEDAL, Manufactured by and now on exhibition at Mr. JOHN NOLAN's will be shot for, commencing

April 1st and closing on evening of April 15th.

THE GENTLEMAN MAKING THE HIGHEST SCORE IN TEN SHOTS TO TAKE THE PRIZE.

Popular Prices: FOUR SHOTS for.....25 Cents.

Gallery open daily from 4 to 12 p.m., to all respectable Members of the Community.

Hongkong, April 1, 1882.

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, NEWCHANG, TIEN-TSIN, HANKOW and PORT MATHURON.)

The Co.'s Steamship "Cydonia," Capt. C. Butler, will be despatched at Daylight on WEDNESDAY, the 6th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, April 3, 1882. ap5

NOTICE

FOR SAN FRANCISCO VIA YOKOHAMA.

The 100 A 1 British Steamship "Albatross," Capt. C. Butler, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 8th April, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 29, 1882. ap5

present quotations. During the fortnight only 70 bales Tatteele have been settled and 30 bales Filature Silk, prices ranging from \$475 for No. 1 Tatteele to \$460 for No. 3 Tatteele (in the former); the Filatures being settled at \$550 per picul. The Stock of No. 1 Tatteele is now almost exhausted.

Long reels.—Fair business is reported in these sorts for the Indian market and prices are firm.

Re-reels.—A slightly better demand has existed for these kinds, and contracts for the fortnight amount to about 145 bales, this is probably owing to prices being easier, No. 1 Lucklow being \$5 per picul cheaper, whilst in Nos. 2 & 3 a decline of \$15 per picul may be quoted.

Stock in Canton is now estimated at about 700 tons of all kinds.

Waste.—For the annual quantity of No. 2 Gum now on hand, dealers are willing to accept \$120 per picul, being a drop of about \$3 per picul.

Export of Silk.—Export to date.—To London, 8,492 bales; Continent, 7,894 bales; to America, 8,790 bales; to Bombay, 2,484 piculs.—Total, 13,590 bales; 8,790 boxes; and 2,234 piculs. Of Waste, 8,537 bales; and Pierced Cocoons, 2,182 —for Europe.

QUOTATIONS.

Tatteele.....	Curio,	Nono
" " " "	No. 1,	\$465
" " " "	" " "	\$475
" " " "	" " "	\$485
" " " "	" " "	\$415
Leongtong.....	Curio,	
" " " "	No. 1,	Nono.
" " " "	" " "	"
" " " "	" " "	"
Gumchuck	" " "	\$470
Re-reeled Gumchuck and Lucklow	No. 1,	\$520
" " " "	" " "	\$480
" " " "	" " "	\$460

"	Coco-nut-oil,	1	Nono
"	"	2	Nono
"	Waste Silk,	No.	2
"	"	No.	\$120
"	Cocosna Pinned,		\$ 98

SETTLEMENTS FOR THE MONTH.			
1881-82.			
1880-81.			
	For Europe.....	100 bales	60 bales
	United States.....		
	And Co-Roads.....	200 boxes	480 boxes
	Bombay.....	100 piculs	30 piculs

DRUGS AND SPICES.—Cassia Lignea, Quack-Poo and Loting are quoted at mat \$7.75 and \$8.20 in boxes. Sales : 1,000 piculs. Stock : 5,500 piculs. Tai Wo is quoted at \$7.95 in mats, and \$8.20 in piculs. Sales : 1,000 piculs. Stock : 8,000 piculs. Cassia Buds, Old \$9.50 per picul. Sales : 100 piculs. Stock : nil. New \$10.25 per picul. Stock 200 piculs. New \$10.25 per picul.

SUNDRIES.—Fire Crackers 72 a 77 cent box. Vermilion, \$3.00 box. Box Matting, Fine contract, White 4/4, 1/2 cent; D/L, 13 cents; 6/4, 15½ cents; 1/2

yard; Kid Check, 4/4, 12¢ cents, 5/4, 14¢ cents; 6/4, 17¢ cents; Double Extra Imperial, white 4/4, 15¢ cents, 5/4, 17¢ cents; 6/4, 19¢ cents; Red Check, 4/4, 16¢ cents; 5/4, 18¢ cents, 6/4, 21¢ cents; New York City Ginger in Syrup. (Chaylong) \$5.35. Mandarin \$3.85. Young Stem \$3.50. Cango (Manieng) \$3.20. Mandarin \$3.60. Young Stem \$3.80 per case of 9 jars. \$3.50 a \$4.00 per picul.

IMPORTS.

LEAD.—Is weaker and prices for L.B. have now fallen to \$6.00 per picul at which rate 3000 pigs have hitherto been sold, while some buyers previously had 150 pigs were shipped at \$6.00 per picul. These are the only sales we have to report. Quotations are as follows:—

L.B. and Hole ship \$6.00 per picul, other brands \$5.80 to \$5.90 per picul.

QUICKSILVER is unchanged at \$67.50 per picul.

SHIPPING.

The rate of Freight to London, by steamer, 23/9, and per sailing vessel, 5/6 per ton, of forty and fifty cubic feet respectively.

The rate of Freight to New York, per

steamer, 33.15, and sailing vessel, 4
per ton of 40 cubic feet.

LOADING AND ON THE BERTH.—At Whampoa.
—For London.—None.

—At Hongkong.—For London.—Ena-
mion, Priam, str.

—For New York.—Mary Whitridge, No-
M. Slade.

—For San Francisco.—Arabie-st, *Almon-*
str., *Glanis, Castle*, str.

DEPARTURES.—From Whampoa.—To
London.—None.

—For New York.—None.

—From Hongkong.—For London.—A-
nemion, str.

—For New York.—None.

—For San Francisco.—*Metapedia*, str.
Galic str.

THAMES-STREET INDUSTRIES, by Per-
Rensell, This Illustrated Pamphlet,
Parsons, & Co., published at 6d., may
have gratis from any Chemist or dealer
perfumery in the World, or JOHN GOSN-
ELL and Co., London.—[Adv't.]

		Tides on 1st April, 1882.			
		High Water.		Low Water.	
		A.M.		P.M.	
Barometer.	30.08	29.98	30.04	29.94	30.04
Thermometer attached.	70.0	70.0	85.0	70.0	70.0
Force of Wind.	3	0	3	0	3
Direction of Wind.	77.5	77.5	75.0	75.0	75.0
Wet Thermometer.	73.5	73.5	74.0	69.0	69.0
Weather.	b.c.	b.c.	b.c.	b.c.	b.c.
Quantity of Rain.	—	—	—	—	—

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Insurances.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

POLICIES GRANTED at current rates on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two-thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount of Premiums contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

J. BRADLEE SMITH,
Secretary.

Hongkong, April 6, 1881. Cap82

THAMES AND MERSEY MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—1, ROYAL EXCHANGE BUILDINGS, LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS in HONGKONG and CHINA for the above Company are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual Discounts.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, May 3, 1881. 3my82

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS of the above Company, are authorized to insure against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, Terms of Policies or any other information, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1887.

MANCHESTER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £ 100,000 "

Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000 "

Annual Income £ 250,000 "

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Pootung, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, October 16, 1868.

Intimations.

NEWS FOR HOME.

The Overland China Mail.

(The oldest Overland Paper in China.)

PUBLISHED at the "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE in TIME FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.

Containing from 72 to 84 columns of closely-printed matter.

THIS Mail Summary is compiled from the Daily China Mail, is published twice a month on the morning of the English Mail's departure, and is a record of each fortnight's current history of events in China and Japan, condensed in a brief and readable form.

It contains Shipping news from Shanghai, Hongkong, Canton, &c., and a complete Commercial Summary.

Subscription, 60 cents per Copy (postage paid 50 cents) \$12 per annum (postage paid \$15.50).

Orders should be sent to Geo. Murray Bain, China Mail Office, 2, Wyndham Street, not later than noon of the day the English Mail Steamer leaves.

Terms of Advertising, same as in Daily China Mail.

THE CHINESE MAIL

THIS paper is now issued every day. The subscription is fixed at Four Dollars per annum delivered in Hongkong, or Seven Dollars Fifty cents including postage to Coast ports.

It is the first Chinese Newspaper ever issued under purely native direction. The chief support of the paper is of course derived from the native community, amongst whom also are to be found the guarantors and securities necessary to place it on a business and legal footing.

The projector, basing their estimates upon the most reliable information from the various Ports in China and Japan, from Australia, California, Singapore, Penang, Saigon, and other places frequented by the Chinese, consider themselves justified in guaranteeing a large and ever-increasing circulation. The advantages offered to advertisers are therefore unusually great, and the foreign community generally will find it to their interest to avail themselves of them.

The field open to a paper of this description—conducted by native efforts, but progressive and anti-obstructive in tone—is almost limitless. It is on the one hand a Chinese belief and interest, while on the other it deserves every aid that can be given to it by foreigners. Like English journals it contains Editorials, with Local, Shipping, and Commercial News and Advertisements.

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C'lon Ins. Office	10,000	250	50				\$85	
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LOANS.								
Chi. Imp.	1874	6,276	100	all	June 30 Dec 31			
" "	1877	16,040	100	all	Feb. 28 Ag. 31			
" "	1878	3,890	500	all	8 % April & Oct.			
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Sugar Deben-tures, 1880.	600	\$300,000	all	8 %	June & Dec.			3 % "

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Altonow	Brit. str.	1811	Mar. 25	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	8th inst.
Amoy	Brit. str.	814	April 4	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
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Asin	Brit. str.	860	April 1	Siemens & Co.	Saigon	6th daylight
Atlanta	Brit. str.	700	Mar. 20	Kung On		
Caracas	Brit. str.	724	April 2	Edmund Schellhaas & Co.		6th daylight
Cebu	Brit. str.	373	Nov. 20	Capitan		For Sale
Chi Yuen	Brit. str.	1198	April 30	M. S. N. Co.	Shanghai	To-day
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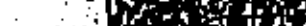
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2nd Class Cargo Boat of 600 piculs, per Load,	1.7
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kan Boat of 300 piculs, per Day,	1.5
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kan Boat of 600 piculs, per Load,	1.0
3rd Class Cargo Boat or Ha-kan Boat of 300 piculs, Half Day,5

Scale of Hire for Street Coolies.	
One Day,	33 CENTS
Half Day,	20
Three Hours,	12
One Hour,	6
Half Hour,	3

Nothing in the above Scale to affect private agreements.

WASHING BOOKS
(In English and Chinese.)

WATHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can not be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.
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